Plasticizer for Manufacture of Concrete Sleepers

2018. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any study has been made for use of 'Plasticizer' for manufacture of concrete sleepers;

(b) whether the use of plasticizer in the manufacture of concerete sleeppers would reduce the consumptions of cement; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER FOR RAILWAYS (SHRI BANSI LAL): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) Even though there is some saving in cement if plasticizers are used but in the limited trials carried out so far it has not been found advantageous in manufacture of concrete sleepers.

Trains with dining and pantry car services

2019. DR. MODH. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state the names of trains which have the dining and pantry car services catered by the Railways and Private contractors, separately?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): The number and name of trains having dining, pantry and buffet car services managed departmentally and by contractors separately are indicated below :—

Sl.No.	Train No.	Name of the Train
1	2	3
Central Railway :		*Departmentally Managed* :
1	79 Dn/80 Up	Taj Express
2	301 Dn/302 Up	Deccan Queen
3	59 Dn/60 Up	Gitanjali Express
4	201 Dn/202 Up	Panchavati Express
5	177 Dn/178 Up	Jhelum Express
6	305 Dn/306 Up	Deccan Express
7	309 Dn/310 Up	Sinhagad Express
Eastern Railway :		*Departmentally Managed* :
1	173 Up/174 Dn	Himgiri Express
2	81 Up/82 Dn	A. C. Express
3	103 Up/104 Dn	A. C. Express
4	191 Up/192 Dn	Magadh Express
5	57 Up/58 Dn	Kanchenjunga Express
6	101 Up/102 Dn	Rajdhani Express
7	307 Up/308 Dn	Black Diamod Express

1	2	3
8	305 Up/306 Dn	Howrah-Asansol Express
9	309 Up/310 Dn	Coal-Field Express
Northern Railway :		*Departmentally Managed* :
1	119 Up/120 Dn	Gomti Express
2	197Up/198Dn	Shane-Punjab
Northern Railway :		*Contractor Managed* :
1	265 Up/266 Dn	Jodhpur-Bhildi Express
2	93 Up/94 Dn	Jodhpur Mail
3	1 BR/2 BR	Bikaner-Ratnagarh Passenger
4	57 Up/58 Dn	Dadar-Amritsar Express
5	369 Up/370 Dn	Delhi-Ferozpur Passenger
6	209 Up/210 Dn	Marwar Rewari Passenger
7	1 JB/2 JB	Jodhpur-Barmer Passenger
8	239/240	Palanpur-Samdari Passenger
9	1 BM/2 BM	Barmer-Munabao Passenger
10	513/514	Marudhar Express
11	1 JP/2 JP	Jodhpur-Jaysalmer
12	1 RM/2 RM	Ratangarh-Merta Road Passenger
13	1 SB/2 SB	Samdari-Bhildi Passenger
14	89 UP /90 Dn	Bikaner Express
15	1 Up/2 Dn	Kalka Mail
16	183/184	Hatia-Chandigarh-Kalka
North Eastern Railway :		*Departmentally Managed* :
1	153 Up/154 Dn	Jayanti Janata Express
N. F. Railway :		*Contractor Managed* :
1	59 Up/60 Dn	Kamrup Express
2	3 Up/4 Dn	Assam Mail
3	5 Up/6 Dn	Kamrup Express (MG)
4	15 Dn/16Up	Gauhati-Allahabad Express
5	155 Dn/156 Up	Tinsukia Mail
Southern Railway :		*Departmentally Managed* :
1	15/16	G. T. Express
2	121/122	T. N. Express
3	125/126	Kerala Express

1	2	3
Southern Railway—contd. :		*Departmentally Managed* :
4	127/128	Karnataka Express
5	131/132	J. J. Express
6	139/140 16c/159	Madras-Varanasi Express Varanasi-Durg Express
7	901/902	Trivandrum-Guhati Express
8	903/904	Ahmedabad-Trivandrum Express
9	905/906	Bangalore-Nizamuddin Express
10	39/40	Brindavan Express
11	49/50	Parasuram Express
12	75/76	Kovai Express
13	115/116	Pallavan Express
14	135/136	Vaigai Express
15	205/206	Tipu Express
16	210/213/214/309	Mysore Express
17	221/222	Kaveri Express
18	301/302	Venad Express
South Central Railway :		*Departmentally Managed* :
1	21/22	Dakshin Express
2	123/124	A.P. Express
3	1/2	Golconda Express
4	5/6	Krishna Express
South Eastern Railway :		*Departmentally Managed* :
1	11 Up/12Dn	Howrah Rourkela Express
2	13 Up/14Dn	Howrah-Tata Steel Express
3	161Up/162 Dn	Tata-Amritsar Express
4	317 Up/318 Dn	Howrah-Purulia Express
5	141 Up/142 Dn	Coromandal Express
6	2 Up/1 Dn	Howrah-Bombay Mail
7	175 Up/176 Dn	Neelachal Express
8	915 Up/916 Dn	New Neelachal Express
9	137 Up/138 Dn	Chattisgarh Express
Western Railway :		*Departmentally Managed* :
1	3 Dn/4 Up	Frontier Mail
2	25 Dn/26 Up	Paschim Express

1	2	3
Western Railway :		*Departmentally Managed* :
3	171 Dn/172 Up	Jammu-Tawi Superfast Express
4	151 Dn/152 Up	Rajdhani Express
5	21 Dn/22 Up	Flying Ranee
6	181 Dn/182 Up	Sarvodya Express
7	1 Up/2 Dn	Delhi Mail
8	501 Up/502 Dn	Pink City Express
9	501 Up A/502 Dn B	Garib Nawaz Express
10	21 Up/22 Dn	Hawa Mahal Superfast Express
11	145 Up/146 Dn	Navjeevan Express
Western Railway :		*Contractor Managed* :
1	11 Dn/12 Up	Gujrat Express
2	23 Dn/24 Up	Ferozpur Janta Express
3	15 Dn/16 Up	Saurashtra Express
4	31 Up/32 Dn	J. J. Express
5	581 Up/582 Dn	Fast Passenger

Level crossings in the country

2020. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total number of railway level crossing gates at present throughout the country; and

(b) how many overhead bridges have been constructed so far and how many are to be completed by the end of financial year 1985-86?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) There are 41,946 level crossings on the Indian Railways.

(b) During the last 10 years period, i.e., 1975-76 to 1984-85, 210 road over/under bridges have been constructed. During 1985-86, 26 road over/under bridges are expected to be completed.

Tree plantation along the rail tracks

2021. MISS SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be please to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal with railways to undertake tree plantation work alongwith the railway tracks;

(b) if so, what is the number of trees proposed to be planted during 1983; and

(c) what steps are being taken by Government to get vacated the land along the railway track from the slum dwellers?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) It has been decided that strip plantation along the railway track shall be done by the Forest Departments of respective States.